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TROUBLES WITHOUT AND WITHIN

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[By Associated Press.]

Port-au-Prince, July 29.—The revolutionists have surrounded this city, but up to an early hour today they had made no attempt to capture it.

Fire broke out last night in the business district, but as there was no wind it was extinguished after six houses had been burned.

TRIPARTITE ARBITRATION TREATIES

United States Will Sign Up with Both Great Britain and France Next Week.

[By Associated Press.]

Washington, July 29.—The general arbitration treaties between the United States and Great Britain and the United States and France will be signed here next week.

BOLL WORM IN NORTH TEXAS

[By Associated Press.]

Denton, Texas, July 29.—Farmers in some sections of Denton county are wishing for hot dry weather to stop the ravages of the boll worm in the cotton fields.

TO PROHIBIT INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS OF INTOXICANTS

Kansas Congressman Introduces Bill Providing Heavy Penalties for Sending Booze Across State Lines.

[By Associated Press.]

Washington, July 29.—Representative Jackson, of Kansas, introduced a bill in the house today assessing fines of \$500 to \$5000 in each case for the offense of sending intoxicants from one state to another.

BUREAU OF HARBORS AND WATERWAYS

[By Associated Press.]

Washington, July 29.—Representative Slayden, of Texas, has introduced a bill in the house for creating a bureau of harbors and waterways, to be under the supervision of the department of commerce and labor.

The proposed bureau would have charge of the construction, execution, conduct and preservation of harbor and waterways work.

BAD TURN FOR JOHN W. GATES

[By Associated Press.]

Paris, July 29.—John W. Gates, whose health has been improving recently, took a turn for the worse today.

PROS WILL PROBABLY CONTEST THE ELECTION

COMMITTEE IS EXAMINING WITNESSES FROM ALL PARTS OF THE STATE AND IF SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE IS OBTAINED WILL FILE CONTEST

500 PROS IN CONFERENCE WITH THE COMMITTEE

Will Pick Candidate for Governor to Run Against Colquitt. Col. Ball and Judge Poindexter are Mentioned.

[By Associated Press.]

Fort Worth, Texas, July 29.—That the recent statewide election will be contested by the statewide prohibition organization if sufficient evidence of fraud can be obtained, and that in any event the question will be turned back to the people of Texas as early as possible, were indications from the opening of the conference of about five hundred prohibitionists here today, who met with the executive committee. It was the sense of the meeting that the statewide organization continue to exist until some definite action is taken.

The executive committee is expected to decide on a candidate for governor to oppose Governor Colquitt. Judge William Poindexter and Thomas H. Ball today are mentioned as possible candidates.

The executive committee went into session at noon, following speeches by Colonel Ball, ex-Governor Thomas Campbell, Hon. Cone Johnson, Judge William Poindexter and Hon. T. N. Jones, the latter of Tyler.

Witnesses from many sections of the state are under examination by the committee, whose decision on contesting the election depends on this testimony.

The executive committee is meeting in secret executive session.

GOVERNMENT WILL APPEAL HARRIMAN MERGER CASE

[By Associated Press.]

Washington, July 29.—The government will appeal to the supreme court the Harriman merger suit, which was decided in favor of the railroads by the United States circuit court at St. Louis. The relations of the Southern Pacific and Union Pacific lines were the issue in this suit.

SPAIN SEEKS TO ENFORCE NEUTRALITY LAWS

[By Associated Press.]

Lisbon, July 29.—Spain is taking measures to suppress the recruiting of Portuguese monarchists at Galieta, Spain.

CANADIAN PARLIAMENT HAS DISSOLVED

The Reciprocity Treaty Will Be Referred to a Vote of the People of the Dominion.

[By Associated Press.]

Ottawa, July 29.—The Canadian parliament dissolved this afternoon, which means that the ratification of the reciprocity treaty with the United States, will be put up to a vote of the people of the dominion.

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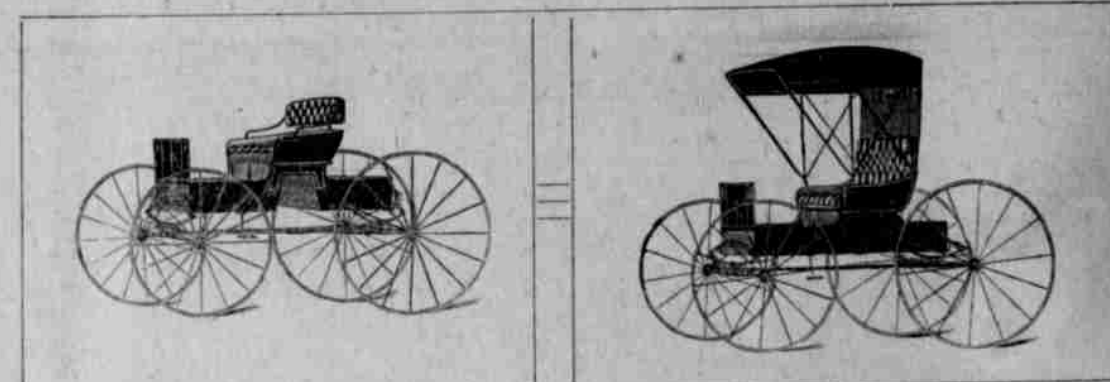
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